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Are You Tired, Nervous and Sleepless?

Nervousness and sleeplessness are usually due to the fact that the nerves are not fed on properly nourishing blood; they are starved nerves. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes pure, rich blood, and thereby the nerves are properly nourished and all the organs of the body are run as smoothly as machinery which runs in oil. In this way you feel clean, strong and strenuous—you are toned up and invigorated, and you are good for a whole lot of physical or mental work. Best of all, the strength and increase in vitality and health are lasting. The trouble with most tonics and medicines which have a large, booming sale for a short time, is that they are largely composed of alcohol holding the drugs in solution. This alcohol shrinks up the red blood corpuscles, and in the long run greatly injures the system. One may feel exhilarated and better for the time being, yet in the end weakened and with vitality decreased. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery contains no alcohol. Every bottle of it bears upon its wrapper *The Badge of Honesty*, in a full list of all its several ingredients. For the druggist to offer you something he claims is "just as good" is to insult your intelligence.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, biliousness and headache.

Alfonso's Mother Not Very Ill.

Madrid, April 2.—The report that Maria Christina, the queen mother, was seriously ill and that the last sacraments were about to be administered are without foundation. She is suffering from a slight fever from which she has almost entirely recovered.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

All carpenters and painters in Vancouver, B. C., are on strike and building operations are at a standstill.

At Chicago, Frank Gotch defeated "Farmer" Burns at catch-as-chatch-can wrestling in two straight falls.

Young Jay Gould, who will compete for the international court tennis championship, has arrived in London.

The funeral of Hon. Galusha A. Grow will take place from the old homestead in Glenwood, Pa., on Wednesday.

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CHARGE OF HIM.

APPEALS TO HIGHER COURT

ALLEGES THAT HIS IMPRISON-
MENT BY ELISOR BIGGY
IS ILLEGAL.

San Francisco, April 2.—On the eve of his trial on the charge of extorting \$28,000 from French restaurant keepers of this city, which begins today before Judge Dunne in the superior court, Abraham Ruef asked the supreme court of California to free him from the custody of Elisor Biggy and order him into the charge of the sheriff, whom Judge Dunne disqualified on the grounds of personal interest.

Ruef, by his attorneys, filed in the higher court an application for a writ of habeas corpus so extensive in allegations, arguments and citations of authority that it occupies twenty-one typewritten pages and embraces sixty-two sub-divisions.

Ruef sets up that his imprisonment by Elisor Biggy in the house, No. 2849 Fillmore street, is illegal; that his case was in court for four months prior to March 4, and that on that date, being indisposed, he concluded to visit the Trocadero, a suburban resort, and there recuperate, believing on the advice of his counsel, that his presence in court was not required, owing to an appeal taken by him to the supreme court of the United States by means of a writ of error granted by Superior Judge Hebbard; that he was there arrested without legal right; that he has applied to Judge Dunne for admittance to bail and been refused; that he is forty-two years of age, has lived in San Francisco all his life, has been engaged in the practice of the law for twenty years, and has large business interests at stake; that he is constantly and minutely watched by eight private guards and the court elisor.

All of Them Bearing Firearms.

All of them employed by Rudolph Spreckels, Francis J. Heney and William J. Burns, and all of them paid out of a private fund of \$100,000 raised and guaranteed by Spreckels; that his indictment by the grand jury was instigated and caused by Spreckels, Heney and Burns; that Spreckels, Heney and Judge Dunne are his enemies; that so strict is the espionage maintained over him by his guards that it is impossible for him to have privacy, even in conversation with his attorneys, except by whispering; that he has complained to Judge Dunne, through counsel, and been refused more liberty; that persons who are to be witnesses in his defense are not permitted to visit and converse with him in the preparation of his defense; that he is compelled to sleep in a bed chamber occupied by guards and wherein lights are kept burning all night; that he is practically in a state of solitary confinement, not even his attorneys being allowed to visit him



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When we tell you that these skirts cannot be duplicated for \$7.50 we tell you a fact that you cannot dispute. They are so excellently tailored, are of such good cloths and the styles so desirable that you will be surprised when we show them to you and ask but \$5.98. See them.

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TO SOLVE RACE PROBLEM.

Two Great Movements Launched in the South.

At Atlanta, Ga., April 2.—Two great movements looking to the solution of the race problem in the South, especially in Georgia, have been launched and have gained the support of some of the most prominent men in the country, according to a statement made by a conference of the Atlanta Evangelical Ministers' association. One of the movements contemplates the organization of all the moral forces of the South in one great body and the appointment of a commission to handle the problem.

The other movement is being fostered by former Governor Northern of Georgia. The plan contemplates the selection of a state commission whose duty it shall be to have the laws of the state so revised as to do away with the present objections to the legal manner of trying and punishing persons charged with criminal assault and to provide for the punishment of the leaders and members of mobs.

HART KNOCKS OUT MAHER.

Kentuckian Quickly Disposes of Old Time Pugilist.

Hot Springs, Ark., April 2.—Peter Maher, the one-time aspirant to heavyweight championship honors, was knocked out by Marvin Hart of Louisville in the second round of what was scheduled to be a twenty-round bout. Hart was the aggressor and Maher was unable to block the blows sent in by the Kentuckian.

GREENE AND GAYNOR CASE.

Called for Argument in Federal Circuit Court of Appeals.

New Orleans, April 2.—Entering its eighth year of legal battle, the case of Benjamin D. Greene and John F. Gaynor, convicted of defrauding the government of over \$500,000 in Savannah harbor improvements, was called for argument in the United States circuit court of appeals upon a writ of error from the federal court at Savannah.

A. A. Lawrence, of counsel for Greene and Gaynor, occupied the entire session and had not concluded argument when court adjourned for the day.

Anti-Gambling Law In Effect.

Helena, Mont., April 2.—The Griffin anti-gambling law, which prohibits all games of chance, went into effect Monday and for the first time since the discovery of gold in 1863 faro, roulette, poker, dice, card games of all kinds and even slot machines were tabooed in Montana.

Constipated? A good foothold for appendicitis. Dr. Adler's Treatment will make you safe. Johnson's Pharmacy.

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His Chere.

A gamekeeper found a boy fishing in his master's private waters. "You mustn't fish here," he exclaimed. "These waters belong to the Earl of A."

"Do they? I didn't know that," replied the culprit, laying aside his rod. He then took up a book and commenced reading.

The keeper departed, but on returning about an hour afterward found the same youth had started fishing again.

"Do you understand that this water belongs to the Earl of A.?" he roared.

"Why, you told me that an hour ago!" exclaimed the angler, in surprise. "Surely the whole river doesn't belong to him? His share went by long ago!"—London Telegraph.

A Portrait of Wordsworth.

One of Charles Lamb's friends said to him that he had never seen Wordsworth.

"Why, you've seen an old horse, haven't you?" asked Charles Lamb. "Yes, I suppose so."

"Then you've seen Wordsworth."—Pall Mall Gazette.

Her Dear Friend.

Clara—I wish I could believe what he says, but—Maud—What does he say? Clara—Why, he says he loves me, and he has known me only two days. Maud—Well, perhaps that's the reason.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Diligence increaseth the fruit of toil. A dilatory man wrestles with losses.—Hesiod.

WE'VE GOT A "CORNER" ON BARGAINS.

You know that a "corner" in wheat or corn means higher prices! But, our "corner" means just the contrary. It means that you will be able to buy staple goods at this great

April **BARCAIN** Sale

Our "corner" means simply that we've gathered together a lot of good things, goods that you need right now and will need for a long while after this and that we'll offer them during this sale at prices so extraordinarily low that some of them may even seem out of reason to you. While for instance we quote:

Mennen's Talcum Powder..... 15c
Prang's No. 1 Paints, per box..... 10c
Hemstitched Handkerchiefs..... 1c
Large Water Pails..... 10c
Polished Glass Tumblers, 3 for..... 5c
Large Glass Water Pitchers..... 10c
15c Extension Curtain Rods, now..... 8c
Large 3 Piece Garden Sets..... 10c
Etc., Etc.

These Bargains of ours are genuine and give you an opportunity to save a good bit of money. But as some of the lots aren't large don't be disappointed if you wait till the last day. The lucky days are from Monday, April 1st to Saturday, April 6.

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Weather

Forecast—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday colder northeast portion tonight.

TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 1907.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

S. G. Stewart went to Cass Lake today on business.

L. C. Hammett, of Esdon, was in the city last night.

J. F. Hurley returned today from a trip up the line.

W. E. Barber, of Mankato, was at the Globe last night.

Ramey Hart, of Long Lake, was in the city last night.

J. B. Quimby, of Staples, was at the Ransford last night.

L. E. Stewart, of Proctor, Minn., was in the city last night.

W. A. Donal, of Blackduck, was a Brainerd visitor today.

Just received a fine line of wines and liquors at "The Nugget."

Attorney Larson and son returned today from a trip to Walker.

Mrs. McCarville was down from Deerwood on business today.

Clyde McKay came down from the north today and went to Aitkin.

Get your fire insurance from Smith Bros., Sleeper Block. Telephone 174.

Miss Hildegard Courtney returned to her school work in St. Paul today.

Olav Neilson, of Lake City, Minn., was registered at the Globe last night.

Mrs. J. H. Rhodes went to Minneapolis today to visit her son for a few days.

John Brand and C. B. Kelly, of Deerwood, were at the City hotel last night.

Mrs. J. J. Howe returned last evening from a visit with relatives in Minneapolis.

Order manure for gardens and lawn from Hayes' livery. Big load for fifty cents.

John Hessel, Jr., returned today from a business trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis.

D. M. Clark & Co. largest installment house in the city. Goods sold on easy terms.

Mrs. Gus Raymond, who has been very sick, is reported as improving quite rapidly.

John Byrnes and family, of Duluth, are in the city visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Alice Bridgeman went to Mission this morning to commence a term of school.

Ralph Miller, of Staples, returned home today after a few days spent with friends here.

Card tables and folding chairs for rent at D. M. Clark & Co.

The benefit dance given at Walker's hall last night was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed.

Charles Bahma and family arrived today to visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. Sidney Hockridge.

Mrs. Herman Davis went to Long Prairie yesterday afternoon to visit Mr. Davis' relatives for a short time.

J. W. Craig and family who have been visiting at the home of D. R. Craig, left last night for their home in Seattle.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Good frame house and corner lot, Second Av. and Pearl street, Northeast. Call 618 North 5th street.

W. H. Day, international railroad secretary of the Y. M. C., is in the city today consulting with the board of directors.

Mrs. Louis Yeager returned to her home in St. Paul this afternoon after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Whiteley.

Mrs. Nellie Lundberg went to Little Falls today to install officers for the Yeomen there tonight. A public meeting will be held.

Mrs. R. H. Shumaker arrived in the city last night on her way to Bemidji from McGregor, Iowa, where she has been for some weeks.

Miss Katherine Whiteley, principal of the Belmont school, Grand Forks, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Whiteley.

America lodge No. 146 D. of H. will give one of their enjoyable dances Tuesday evening, April 2, at Columbia hall. Good music assured. All are welcome.

Frank J. Murphy returned yesterday from Walker. He states that he went out to the sanatorium there Sunday in a sleigh and it was still good sleighing there.

The Northwestern Milling Co., of Little Falls, will give 50 gold watches away to users of Gold Dust flour. See their advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

Mr. Stevenson, of Iowa City, Iowa, superintendent of schools of Johnson county, was in the city today on his way home from a flying trip to his farm near Aitkin.

C. William, of Duluth, representing the Duluth Corrugated Roofing company, which is placing the fire escapes on the Wise block, is in the city today looking for business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Larson and Mrs. Anderson, of Nelson, Minn., are guests of Attorney Larson. The gentleman is a brother to A. T. Larson and Mrs. Anderson is his mother.

"Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is the best remedy for that often fatal disease—croup. Has been used with success in our family for eight years."—Mrs. L. Whiteacre, Buffalo, N. Y.

Rev. C. Hougstad, pastor of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church, left this afternoon for the cities to attend a meeting of a ministerial conference, and transact other business.

Adam Armstrong is down stairs today for the first time since the accident to his ankle several weeks ago. Adam says it seems good to get down where he can meet his friends once more.

JAP ROSE bath soap lathers freely in all kinds of water. For use in HARD WATER its strongest point. KIRK'S—druggists, grocers.

Lon Root, of Fort Ripley, received word Sunday that his brother Del had been dangerously hurt in Wallace, Idaho. He left for that place Sunday night but a telegram was received here that Del had died Monday morning.

"The College Widow," which was billed for this city the 13th, has cancelled the date, owing to its conflict with "Forty-Five Minutes from Broadway" which will appear on the 12th.

Rev. Gleemaker, formerly pastor of the Swedish Methodist church of this city arrived this afternoon from his home in St. Paul, and will hold quarterly services in that church tonight.

Frank Walker returned last night from Havre, Montana, where he has been for the past two months. Mr. Walker has been running as engineer on the Great Northern but says he does not like it out there very well and may remain here.

Geo. Wilmut, of Cross Lake, is in the city today. Mr. Wilmut has just purchased the Harry Hagadorn place at the south end of Sixth street, from J. W. Koop. The consideration was \$550 cash, and the deal was made through the Keene & McFadden agency.

ROYAL ARCANUM MEETING.

All members of the Royal Arcanum are requested to attend the regular meeting tonight, as business of great importance must be transacted.

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The Price of Health.

"The price of health in a malarious district is just 25 cents; the cost of a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Ella Slayton, of Noland, Ark. New Life Pills cleanse gently and impart new life and vigor to the system. 25c. Satisfaction guaranteed at H. P. Dunn & Co., druggists, Brainerd, Minn.

The Samian Letter.

The letter Y is called the Samian letter. It is so called because its Greek original was referred to by Pythagoras, the philosopher of Samos, to illustrate how deviation from the straight path of virtue becomes constantly wider as the lines are extended. The poet Pope refers to this idea in the lines:

When reason, doubtful, like the Samian letter,
Points him two ways, the narrower the better.

—Housekeeper.

Every woman appreciates a beautiful complexion so much desired by men. Such complexions come to all who use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. H. P. Dunn & Co.

THE GREAT "WAR COMET."

Its Fiery, Spreading Tail Was Fifty Million Miles Long.

The wonderful "war comet" of 1811 sprang so suddenly into view and blazed with such unexampled brilliancy as to astonish the astronomers and frighten those unlearned in cometary lore half out of their wits. The unlearned declared that the civil war, which was just getting well under headway, must have something to do with it. However this may be, it burst forth, unheralded and uninvited, shining with greater brilliancy and magnitude than any phenomena of a similar nature which that generation had ever seen.

On the night of July 3 of that year it exhibited a most wonderful spectacle. In the evening the nucleus did not appear to be larger than a star in the first or second magnitude. As the small hours of the morning approached, however, the nucleus visibly increased in both magnitude and brilliancy. The tail waved back and forth over our little world in a most threatening manner, at times sending rays almost to the zenith. On the morning of July 5 the astronomers announced through the daily papers that the head of the great comet was only separated from the earth by a distance of 12,000,000 miles. According to the report sent out from the Cambridge observatory, the comet appears to have passed its ascending node between the 27th and the 29th of June in longitude 279 degrees, the longitude of the earth being 277 degrees at the same time.

On Oct. 10 its tail extended over a space of 50,000,000 miles and at several points was not less than 10,000,000 miles in width.

At first it was generally conceded that it was the famous comet of 1556, the one which caused the Emperor Charles V. of France to resign his imperial throne, he taking it to be a warning from God. All surmises were subsequently set at rest by the discovery that it was the famous Thatcher comet, discovered by Professor A. F. Thatcher at the Rutherford observatory in New York city.

His Bluff.

Watchman (discovering a burglar in the act of opening a bank safe)—Hold on! What are you doing there? Burglar—Don't make such a row, old man. I want to see if my deposit is all right. Nobody can trust his bankers nowadays.—London Express.

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The Number Three.

Three, which since the days of Pythagoras has been the divine number, is not invariably fortunate, for, though the fates are three, so also are the furies. The graces are three, but so also are the judges in hades and the heads of Cerberus. Then there are the records of three disloyal tribes in Welsh history; there are the three robbers in Orion's belt; there were the three tyrants at Athens, and 3 in mythology is as unlucky as it is divine.

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Jamaica's Green Turtles.

An official of Jamaica in a report on turtle fishing, which is the chief industry of the Cayman Islands, says that green turtles display an extraordinary sense of locality. It has happened more than once that turtles marked with the initials of their captors have escaped from their crawls in Grand Cayman and within three months have been recaptured at the fishing ground, a distance of over 300 miles. The last instance of this was when a crawl was cut down and 200 turtles escaped. Within three months thirty of them were caught by different fishing boats off the Nicaraguan coast.

There are many tonics in the land, As by the papers you can see; But none of them can equal Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. H. P. Dunn & Co.

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LAMARTINE'S PRESENT.

How the French Author Got a Big Price for a Little Poem.

Francois Buloz, the founder and editor of the famous French journal, La Revue des Deux Mondes, was by no means celebrated for his generosity to contributors. One day shortly after the publication of Lamartine's "Les Girondins," and while the literary world was ringing with the fame of its great author, Buloz called on him and asked him to write an article for his magazine. Lamartine consented, but stated that he could not have it ready for some weeks.

Buloz, fearing that this was only an excuse and that he would never get the article, offered Lamartine an advance. It so happened that the author was in need of 4,000 francs at that time, and he so informed the editor, who at once handed over the money. Three months later he called Lamartine's attention to the fact that the contribution had not yet been received. It was toward the end of 1847, and the great author was devoting his entire time to politics.

"While you are waiting for this article would you care for a little poem I have here?" he asked Buloz. He enthusiastically replied in the affirmative.

Months later, when Lamartine had become minister of foreign affairs, Buloz again called upon him to remind him of the promised contribution.

"But you see my position," answered the minister, "how busy I am!"

Buloz frowned. "But, citizen minister, a certain amount of money was advanced, and the interests of my magazine do not permit me to—"

"How much was it?"

"Four thousand francs."

Lamartine took this amount of money from the drawer and laid it upon his desk.

The editor, however, looked somewhat embarrassed.

"Well, what more can I do for you? You have your money."

"The fact is, I owe you for a small poem."

"Oh, that's not worth mentioning! I'll make you a present of it."

Buloz drew himself up haughtily. "Citizen minister, La Revue des Deux Mondes does not accept presents. How much do I owe you?"

"Oh, well, if you insist," answered Lamartine dryly as he took up the 4,000 francs and replaced them in his drawer, "we will call it square!"

No Apology Needed.

"I hope our running the graphophone last night didn't annoy you," said the renter of the third floor flat.

"What?" responded the new renter of the fourth floor flat, producing an ear trumpet.

"I say it's a fine morning!" bellowed the other into the trumpet.—Chicago Tribune.

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Some people cry loudly for justice when mercy is really what they want.

There is never much kicking about the rules of the game by those who happen to win.

A young person's kind of wit is usually the kind that gives an old person nervous prostration.

If a man tells a lie, which is predominant—his remorse at having told it or his pride in having told one that passed for the truth?

You may think you are lonesome, but you will never know what lonesomeness is until you are on your deathbed and realize that you are going alone.

Every boy who plays around railroad yards and makes a practice of jumping on trains imagines he is a great deal more clever than the one-legged men of his acquaintance ever were.—Atchafalpa Globe.

On the Rack.

The expression "putting a witness on the rack" has an ancient origin. The courts had an unpleasant way of putting a refractory or unsatisfactory witness on the rack, which was an open wooden frame, upon which was laid the victim. His wrists and ankles were tied to two rollers at opposite ends of the frame. The rollers were then moved with levers until the tension caused the body to rise level with the frame, and then questions were addressed to the witness. If he still proved silent or if his memory needed refreshing, the rollers were moved slowly until the wretch's bones started from the sockets.

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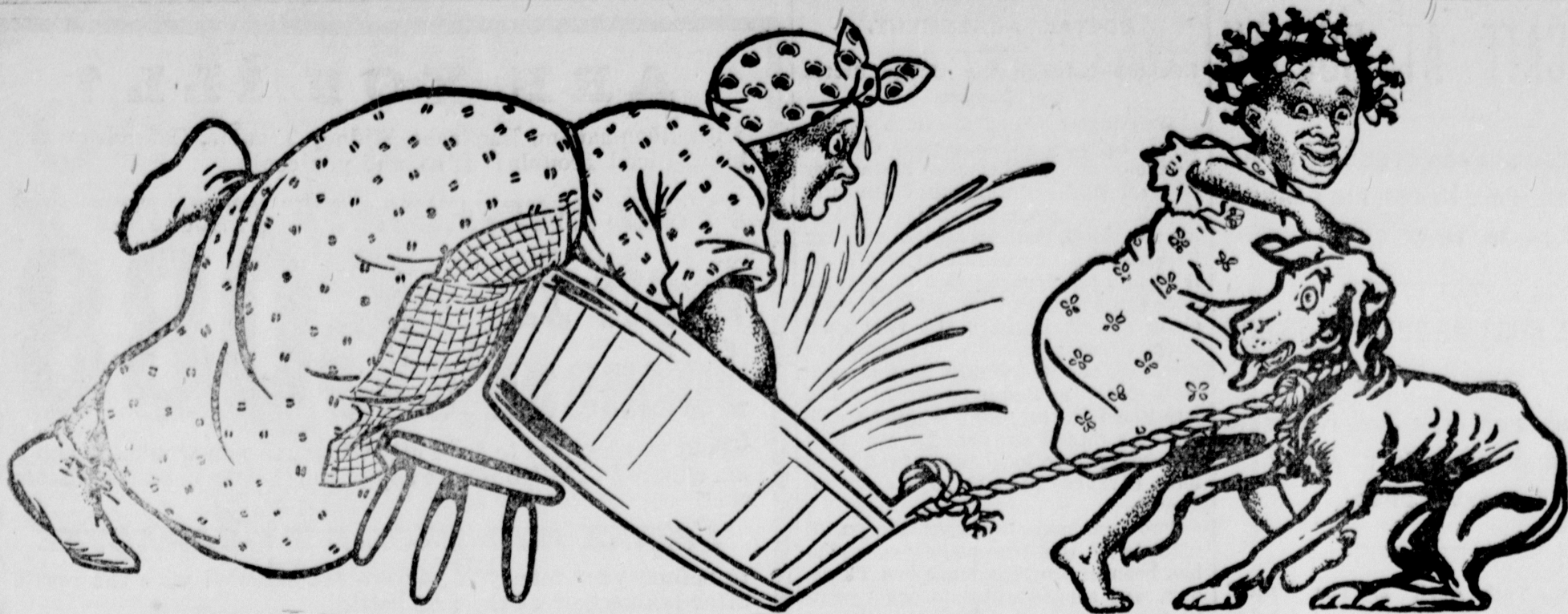
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She said to herself: "Dis labor is bosh,
Ah wish dat de tub would run from de room
And nevah come back to worry dis coon."
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Cheerful faces, good digestions and strong muscles belong to those who eat "Korn Kinks" regularly. Delicate, tasty, digestible, sustaining—made of malted corn and a welcome treat for any meal. At your grocer's for only 5c. a package.

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Every house must be decked with flowers on New Year's day in Japan.

In Buenos Ayres the police alone have the right of whistling on the streets. Any other person whistling is at once arrested.

In Ashanti many families are forbidden the use of certain meats. In like manner others are forbidden to wear clothes of a certain color.

If a carriage upsets or injures another carriage in the streets of St. Petersburg or if a person is knocked down, the horses of the offending vehicle are seized and confiscated to the use of the fire brigade.

It is the practice of the Ashantees and Fantees to bury one-third of the property of a dead man, converted into gold dust, under his head, and rifling the grave of an enemy is considered the proper action for a warrior.

Clapping the hands in various ways is the polite method in central Africa of saying "Allow me," "I beg pardon," "Permit me to pass" and "Thanks." It is resorted to in respectful introduction and leave taking.

Doves and Religion.

"One thing I remarked and think worthy of notice is that ever since Noah's dove every religion seems to consider the pigeon as a sacred bird. For example, every mosque swarms with pigeons, and the same exists in most Italian market places. The Hindoo pundits and the old Assyrian empire also have them, while Catholics make it the emblem of the Holy Ghost."

Lady Burton in her account of the Mohammedan mystery play of "Hasan and Hossein" says:

"Then comes the bier with Hossein's corpse and his son sitting upon it sorrowing and embracing him and a beautiful white dove in the corner whose wings are dabbled with blood. The effect upon the excited crowd is awful."—Life of Sir Richard F. Burton.

Where He Worshipped.

As the new minister of the village was on his way to evening service he met a rising young man of the place whom he was anxious to have become an active member of the church.

"Good evening, my young friend," he said solemnly. "Do you ever attend a place of worship?"

"Yes, indeed, sir, regularly every Sunday night," replied the young fellow, with a smile. "I'm on my way to see her now."—Ladies' Home Journal.

The Mystic Number Five.

Five is the great sacred Chinese number. There are five virtues, five colors (yellow, white, green, red and black), five household gods, five planets (Saturn, Venus, Jupiter, Mars and Mercury), five ranks of nobility, five tastes, five cardinal points (the middle, east, west, south and north respectively) and five tones.

If it were possible to heal sorrow by weeping, gold were less prized than grief.—Sophocles.

Men Admire Pretty Gowns

No doubt you have a pretty dress which you no longer wear because it has become soiled. We make a specialty of cleaning the most delicate fabrics and restoring them to their former beauty and finish. Now is the time to send that dress to us, you'll be delighted with it when we return it to you.

Information booklet free. Return express paid on orders of \$3 or more.

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MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

Peacocks For Food.

The peacock cannot well be recommended as a market bird—it is too tender in early youth, too slow in reaching maturity. But as a choice rarity, the crown and capheaf of a country gentleman's feast, it is unapproached and unapproachable. This was well understood throughout the age of chivalry; hence the knightly oath, "By the peacock, the heronshaw and the ladies!" Whoever swore thus was trebly bound to keep his vow. Turkeys had not yet come out of the western world to conquer a place among the "noble" birds which alone were held worthy of being served to royalty. The swan and the peacock were the chiefest of them and bore rule even beyond the days of Queen Elizabeth. At the Christmasings the peacock came in in state, the same as the bear's head and the brawn.—Country Life in America.

An Effective Riddle.

On one occasion when he was busy President Lincoln received a delegation of men who were endeavoring to hurry the passing of some petty bill. When they entered, Lincoln looked up gravely and said:

"If you call the tail of a sheep a leg, how many legs will the sheep have?"

"Five," said the spokesman.

"No," replied Lincoln, "it would only have four. Calling the tail a leg would not make it one."

The delegation departed in discomfiture.

All That Was Left Him.

"Your promptness, sir," said Dr. Price-Price, "is quite refreshing, but really I don't expect you to pay it all at once if it's going to embarrass you."

"The bill is a big one, for a fact, but I don't mind that. I'm grateful to you for sparing my life," replied the victim.—Philadelphia Press.

For Self Protection.

"Why," asked the inquisitive person, "do some of your writers sign their articles, while others do not?"

"Those who do not," explained the magazine editor, "threatened to quit unless the other articles were signed."—Chicago News.

Railroad Men Now In the Eye.



E. H. HARRIMAN.

SINCE the railroad situation has been much under discussion railroad men and those identified with the handling of railroad securities have been especially in the public eye. The public has grown interested in the personalities of the men who have been making trips to Washington to see President Roosevelt and who claim that his railroad programme has been the cause of a feeling of insecurity as to the value of railroad stocks. The most talked of among the railroad men of today is undoubtedly Edward H. Harriman, the "Colossus of Roads," who was recently a witness before the interstate commerce commission and whose visit to the White House, followed by a lengthy interview on the subject of government supervision of railroads, excited widespread comment. Mr. Harriman has experienced a change of heart on the matter of the railroads and the public. Mr. Harriman, though he controls property valued at hundreds of millions, is very plain in his dress, and his personal expenditures are comparatively small. He usually wears a slouch hat and is by no means what is described as a "howling swell."

President C. S. Mellen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, whose conference with President Roosevelt was a subject of much comment, declares that he has always conceded the need of efficient regulation by the government of railroad corporations. He draws the same salary as a railroad president that Mr. Roosevelt does as chief executive of the United States, and he rose to his influential position in the railway world from an obscure clerkship in a little New England road having at that time about a hundred miles of track. He and Mr. Roosevelt do not agree in all respects in railway matters, but the president paid Mr. Mellen the compliment once of quoting from one of his addresses in composing a message to congress. Mr. Mellen is fifty-six years of age. He became second vice president of the New Haven road in 1892 and served in the post until 1896, when he became president of the Northern Pacific. In 1903 he was chosen head of the New Haven road.

Marvin Hughitt, one of the four railroad men named by J. P. Morgan when he suggested a conference between President Roosevelt and railroad representatives, is chairman of the board of directors of the Chicago and Northwestern railway and served for nearly a score of years as president. He is a member of the industrial peace commission which will use the proceeds of the fund given to Mr. Roosevelt with the Nobel peace prize to bring about better relations between labor and capital.



MARVIN HUGHITT.

to Hughitt to accomplish this movement as expeditiously as possible. The young man went to the office and did not leave his key for thirty-six hours, or until all the troops were landed at Cairo, together with their baggage and supplies. Then he went home to enjoy a well earned sleep, but barely had he lain down when a second order was received to transport the same men from Cairo to the north and east, an emergency having arisen that demanded a rapid change of base. Back to his instrument went the obedient official for another thirty-six hours' siege, at the end of which time he had succeeded in not only transporting the men to the desired destination, but had done so without any delay to the regular traffic of the road, a feat that instantly brought the young trainmaster before the favorable notice of the officials at Chicago, to which point he was soon called as assistant superintendent of the road.

Thomas F. Ryan and August Belmont would no doubt be rated the two

leading traction magnates of the United States. In personal appearance Mr. Ryan is striking. He is tall, straight, broad shouldered and deep chested, has a large head, high brow, big, smiling blue eyes, a prominent nose and a firm mouth shaded by a curling mustache of iron gray. He is famous for his capacity to refrain from talking. Nevertheless, when he opens his mouth he usually says something worth hearing and is fond of a good story now and then. He was once discussing a Wall street deal wherein a financier had roughly handled a railroad man. The financier had come forth with an excuse for his conduct, and it was this excuse that Mr. Ryan was condemning.



THOMAS F. RYAN.

"A poor excuse," he repeated, "by no means a sufficient excuse in the eyes of the railroad man."

"That railroad man feels, I suppose, like another misused man whom I once saw in a restaurant."

"The man I refer to was about to seat himself and order luncheon when the chair was pulled from under him, and down he flopped to the floor, shaking the very building."

"He rose and rushed at the fellow who had so misused him. This person, though, was not at all alarmed. He said with a calm, self righteous air: 'You were going to sit down on my hat.'"

President H. H. Vreeland of the Metropolitan Street Railway company, which forms a part of the great New York traction system known as the Interborough company, is a notable figure in the financial and club circles of New York. The surface lines of New York were consolidated in the company of which he is the head largely as the result of his work to that end. He was born in Glen, Montgomery county, N. Y., in 1856 and at the age of thirteen began to earn his living by filling ice carts. He worked shoveling gravel on a night construction train, was track walker, switchman, fireman and conductor, rising from one position to another until he became a power in the street railway world. His father was a minister, and the traction magnate tells this story of him:

"One afternoon my father made an address before a Sunday school. Jacob's ladder was the subject that he chose to talk on, and after he had told that beautiful Biblical story he said to the listening children: 'Is there any one here who has any question to ask about Jacob?' 'There was a silence. Again my father said: 'Is there no one here who wishes to ask some questions about Jacob and the ladder and the angels ascending and descending?' 'This time a little girl said timidly: 'Why was it, sir, since the angels had wings, that they needed a ladder to ascend and descend on?' 'Before a question so intelligent and ingenious my father naturally was at a loss. He could think of nothing to reply, so to gain time he said: 'The question I have been asked is a good one. Can anybody answer it? Come, now—surely some little boy or girl can answer this question. Why did the angels have a ladder when they were endowed with wings?' 'A little boy in the back of the room piped out: 'Maybe they were molting, sir.'"

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REJECT COMPROMISE

LEGISLATORS NOT SATISFIED
WITH PROPOSITION OF THE
RAILROADS.

COMMITTEE WILL THEREFORE
REPORT A TWO-CENT PASSENGER
FARE BILL.

St. Paul, April 2.—There will be no compromise on the 2-cent passenger fare proposition recommended by the legislative conference committee, but instead the committee will report a 2-cent rate bill. Efforts to effect a compromise on the whole rate question, both passenger and freight, in consideration of the reconsideration in the senate and house of the vote on the passage of the 2-cent passenger fare bill and the substitution of a 2-cent fare bill were not successful, so far as the conference committee and the railroad and warehouse commission are concerned.

The proposals of the railroads upon which the compromise was to be made was received by the committee and the commission at a meeting in the commission's office. It was presented by L. L. Brown of Winona, acting for all of the roads. The terms of the proposed compromise did not come up to the expectations of the committee, and while the committee will have performed its full duty when it transmits the offer to the legislature the committee will in effect report against the compromise by reporting in a bill providing for a 2-cent passenger rate.

An income tax in lieu of other personal taxes will be collected from all persons whose annual income exceeds \$600, after May 1, 1908, if a bill introduced by Senator A. D. Stephens of Crookston becomes a law.

The rate is to be calculated and fixed by the county auditor according to the provisions of Chapter 2 of the code, and is to be assessed on all gains, profits and incomes in excess of \$600, from whatever source derived, except such as are exempt by law or are taxed upon gross earnings.

Estimating a Person's Income.

The bill provides that in estimating the income of any person, co-partnership or corporation for this purpose there shall be included all income derived from interest on bills, receivables, notes, bonds or other securities or profits from the sale or exchange of real estate or personal property; premiums or profits derived from the sale of notes, bonds, mortgages, or other securities; monies and the value of all personal property acquired by gift or inheritance; all other gains, profits and incomes derived from any source whatever.

From the items specified there shall be deducted the necessary expenses actually incurred in carrying on business, trade or employment of any person or company subject to this tax; all interest paid upon any existing indebtedness; the amount of all other taxes paid during the year; losses incurred by fire, storms or accidents not covered by insurance; all dividends received from corporations or stock companies which have reported to the assessors their incomes for taxation.

The right of eminent domain to public service corporations, organized for the purpose of generating electricity by steam or water power, is provided in a bill introduced by Senator T. M. Pugh of Duluth.

A macadamized state road starting from St. Cloud and headed for the Twin Cities is provided for in a bill introduced in the house by F. T. White of Elk River. An appropriation of \$25,000 is provided for purchasing a rock crusher and some other machinery and for transporting the rock. The bill provides that the crushed rock is to be taken from the quarries at the state reformatory and leaves the work to be done by the inmates of that institution. Mr. White intends the road as a model or demonstration road. He expects to continue the work by subsequent legislation so that the road will ultimately reach Minneapolis.

Salary Bill Killed.

The state officers' salary bill was killed in the house committee of the whole. The vote on the motion for indefinite postponement, offered by J. G. Lennon of Minneapolis, was 40 for and 32 against.

Absolute prohibition is proposed in a bill introduced in the house by G. W. Higgins of Minneapolis, one of the three prohibition members. The bill proposes a constitutional amendment to be voted on in 1908, providing that the "manufacture, sale or transportation of alcoholic liquors shall be prohibited forever after Jan. 1, 1910."

A bill to increase the salary of the governor from \$5,000 to \$7,000 was introduced in the house by T. J. Brady of St. Paul.

The general legislative reapportionment bill was introduced in the house by F. T. White of Elk River, chairman of the house reapportionment committee. A general reapportionment affecting nearly every county in the state is proposed. The number of senators is left at 63, but the representatives are increased from 119 to 129. Whenever the number of counties in a senatorial district is the same as the number of representatives, each county is made a representative district.

Monday was the last day for the introduction of bills and there were 211 bills introduced in the legislature, making a total of 2,056 bills introduced during this session.

STREET CAR QUESTION.

Will Be Settled at the Election in Chicago.

Chicago, April 2.—Chicago's street car question, which has been before the public for the past ten years, will be settled at the polls today at the mayoralty election, if the voters adopt by referendum vote the ordinance recently passed by the city council over Mayor Dunne's veto, granting twenty-year franchises to the two street car companies.

If these ordinances fail of public adoption and Mayor Dunne, the Democratic candidate, is re-elected, efforts will be made at once, according to Mayor Dunne, to procure immediate municipal ownership of the street railways.

The ordinances before the people provide that the city on six months' notice may acquire the street railway systems for \$50,000,000 plus the cost of rehabilitation, which is to be undertaken immediately under the supervision of the city engineer. The ordinances also provide for through routes, universal transfers, five-cent fares and the payment to the city of 55 per cent of the net income. The books of the companies are to be open to the city officials.

Several non-partisan organizations have worked with the Republicans, who are supporting Postmaster Fred A. Busse for mayor, to procure the adoption of the ordinance; and the prediction was made by the heads of these independent bodies that the ordinance will be adopted.

Mayor Dunne believes that the people want immediate municipal ownership and that they will re-elect him and reject the ordinance.

The campaign, which closed Monday night with both parties holding scores of meetings all over the city, has been the most spirited fight for mayor that has ever taken place in this city. The feeling between the candidates and their lieutenants became so bitter during the campaign that "personal abuse" has been the issue for over two weeks.

CAPTAIN MACKLIN TESTIFIES.

Army Officer Does Not Believe Negroes Shot Up Brownsville.

Washington, April 2.—The testimony of Captain Edgar A. Macklin of Company C, Twenty-fifth Infantry, was taken by the senate committee on military affairs in the Brownsville investigation. It proved interesting particularly for the reason that Macklin is to be tried by courtmartial after his return to Texas, and for the further reason that he was shot by an unidentified negro at Fort Reno after the negro soldiers were taken away from Fort Brown. Although there is no evidence to show that the Brownsville affair was responsible for the attack upon him, many persons have expressed the opinion that the two incidents are connected, particularly as he was the first of the white officers to produce damaging evidence against the former soldiers. He does not now believe the negroes were guilty of shooting up Brownsville, according to his story told on the stand.

PART OF HAVANA FLOODED.

Exceedingly High Waves Dash Over the Sea Wall.

Havana, April 2.—A portion of this city along the water front is inundated from the sea. Exceedingly high waves are dashing over the sea wall outside the harbor, and many streets are flooded. The famous Prado is a sheet of water almost as far as the Central park. The police are rescuing people from buildings of one story in boats. It is feared that some of the houses under water will collapse. The fire department has been called out to Vedado, where the water is reported to be endangering lives. The men are saving property along the sea front and rescuing those in danger. The water has put a stop to the street car traffic between Havana and Vedado.

CLOSE CALL FOR ROYALTY.

German Crown Prince and Crown Princess Have a Narrow Escape.

Berlin, April 2.—Crown Prince Frederick William and the crown princess had a narrow escape from accident while driving home in a dog cart from a visit to Prince Eitel Frederick. The horse took fright at an automobile and bolted. For some distance the animal ran madly, but with the assistance of a passerby the crown prince finally gained control near the Brandenburg gate in the city, after which the horse continued quietly.

Fruit Crop Probably Injured.

Lexington, Ky., April 2.—With the thermometer registering from 18 to 20 degrees above zero, and ice three-fourths of an inch thick, considerable apprehension exists that the fruit crop has been seriously injured.

Duke of Abruzzi Coming.

Spezia, Italy, April 2.—The Duke of Abruzzi has left here on board the cruiser Varese for Newport News, Va. The Varese will be one of the warships to represent Italy at the opening of the Jamestown exposition.

Laundry Workers Strike.

San Francisco, April 2.—Twelve hundred laundry workers here and 600 in Alameda county voted to go on strike when their employers refused to grant them an eight-hour day and an increase of wages.

Coal Company's Plant Burned.

Earlington, Ky., April 2.—Fire, believed to be incendiary, destroyed the plant of the West Kentucky Coal company at Sturgis, causing a loss estimated at \$85,000.

LOCATE AT DULUTH

UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION WILL ERECT BIG PLANT IN THAT CITY.

WILL COST ABOUT \$5,000,000

PLANS FOR THE VAST ENTERPRISE NOT YET FULLY DEVELOPED.

New York, April 2.—The United States Steel corporation has decided to establish an iron and steel plant at Duluth. The plans are not fully developed, but they will probably include a blast furnace, six open hearth furnaces, blooming mill, rail and shape mill, two bar mills, by-product coke ovens, coal shops, cement plant, etc., and will invest something like \$5,000,000 or \$6,000,000.

The members of the finance committee were unanimous.

This will mean a great step forward in the prosperity and development of Duluth, Minnesota and the Northwest. For Duluth it means the immediate employment of several thousand men, the increased population represented by their families and the large business incidental to furnishing them the comforts and luxuries of life. For Minnesota there is the beginning of a great manufacturing center in a city already one of its jewels. For the Northwest it promises cheaper material for its railroads, shops, homes and farms.

The iron from Minnesota mines will be made into manufactured articles on Minnesota soil. The investment of \$5,000,000 or \$6,000,000 in a plant to change ore to iron will be the beginning of a manufacturing center, where many more millions will be invested in plants which in turn will change the iron into the various forms for human use. And iron enters into almost everything except food and clothing. Iron for use in the shops, homes, fields and forests of the state and Northwest will not be taxed with the double carrying charge of being sent east as ore and then returned west as the finished product. While Duluth and Minnesota reap the first benefits from the new enterprise, its influence must extend over the Northwest and bring profits to every portion.

HIRED MAN KILLS FARMER.

Murderer of Minnesota Man Then Ends His Own Life.

Fergus Falls, Minn., April 2.—H. J. Gilbertson shot and killed Jacob Grimstad, and then after arming himself to the teeth in apparent preparation to resist capture, committed suicide. The dual tragedy was enacted on Grimstad's farm, sixteen miles north of Fergus Falls.

For about a year Grimstad had employed Gilbertson as a farm hand. Gilbertson was a young man of a quiet disposition. Grimstad had but little work for a hired man during the winter, but Gilbertson is said to have agreed to remain and work for his board. With the opening of spring he announced that he was going to North Dakota, and demanded pay for his winter's work. The two men had a dispute several days ago as to their agreement, and some words passed since.

Grimstad hitched up his team and prepared to start for this city. There had been no quarrel, but just as Grimstad was about to drive away Gilbertson picked up a repeating rifle, and fatally wounded Grimstad.

Gilbertson stepped back into the house, secured two rifles, a shotgun, a revolver, and, filling his pockets with ammunition, started for the woods. Later he returned and going to the hayloft, placed the muzzle of a rifle in his mouth and pulled the trigger, killing himself instantly.

TWO CHILDREN BURNED.

One St. Paul Tot Dead and the Other Dying.

St. Paul, April 2.—Eleanor Muller was probably fatally burned at a bonfire near her home in this city. Some boys had started a fire and the little girl went to watch it. In some manner her clothing caught fire and in an instant the flames spread about her body. Shrieking with pain, she ran home, but fell before she could reach the house. Her father, attracted by her cries, rushed to her assistance and managed to extinguish the flames, but not before she had been terribly burned.

The little girl was taken to the city hospital, where no hope is held out for her recovery.

While her mother was down in the cellar Myra Hilman, three years old, passed too close to a gasoline stove while playing about the room. A bunch of paper which the baby was carrying in her hands caught fire. When Mrs. Hilman returned the little girl was on the floor a mass of flames. The mother managed to beat out the fire, but not before the baby had been horribly burned. She was taken to the city hospital, where she died.

Costly Fire on the Isthmus.

Colon, April 2.—The cold storage establishment at Mount Hope, one of the largest and most valuable on the Isthmus, was almost completely destroyed by fire. The loss is placed at several hundred thousand dollars.

POSTAL AGREEMENT.

Effected Between the United States and Canada.

Washington, April 2.—At a conference between Postmaster General Lemieux of Canada and Postmaster General Meyer of the United States in this city an agreement was reached to amend the postal convention existing between the two countries insofar as it affects the transmission of newspapers and periodicals, known as second-class matter, between the two countries. Canada accepts the tentative proposal of this country that second-class matter mailed in one country and addressed to the other might be subject to a rate of one cent for each four ounces or fraction thereof on each bulk package, prepaid by stamps affixed.

The conference between the postal officials of the two countries, which has been in progress since last Thursday, was supplemental to one recently held in Ottawa. The negotiations on behalf of the Canadian postal administration were conducted by Postmaster General Lemieux, Deputy Postmaster General Coulter and Postal Secretary Smith, and on behalf of the United States postoffice department by Postmaster General Meyer, Second Assistant Postmaster General Shallenberger, and his successor, Second Assistant Postmaster General McCleary, and Captain N. M. Brooks, Third Assistant Postmaster General Lawshe and H. M. Bacon.

Under the arrangement which has heretofore existed such mail matter has been transmitted to destination in either country on payment of the regular second class rate, no fiscal settlement being made on account of the difference in volume of the mail received by one country over that received by the other. On account of the very large preponderance of mail matter going from this country to Canada over that received from that country, the agreement has operated very materially to the advantage of this country.

The rate agreed upon is substantially the transient second-class rate which the individual citizen of the United States now enjoys, the exception being that publishers of the United States have an additional privilege of mailing in bulk packages, at the rate named, separately addressed newspapers and periodicals intended for delivery to subscribers at one post-office, and the cost to publishers of the United States will be at least 50 per cent less than if the postal union rate should be applied.

REPUBLICANS VICTORIOUS.

State Ticket Elected by a Large Majority in Michigan.

Detroit, April 2.—The Republican state ticket has received a majority of about 75,000 according to the latest returns. The successful candidates on the state ticket are:

Supreme Court Justices Aaron V. McAlvay and William L. Carpenter; regents of the state university, Junius E. Beal and Frank B. Leland, and member of the state board of education, William A. Cotton.

There was little interest except in those cities which had a local fight and in the Fifth congressional district, where the Republicans voted on a candidate to stand at the special election to elect a successor in congress to William Alden Smith. G. J. Diekmas, chairman of the Republican state committee, and State Senator Huntley Russell were the candidates for the nomination and "Chairman Diekmas has apparently secured a small majority, but friends of Russell declare they have discovered errors in the unofficial returns that will reduce Mr. Diekmas' vote by 700 to 800 and give Mr. Russell a majority of 200 to 300 for the nomination.

Mayor William Thompson of Kalamazoo, Democrat, was re-elected. In Jackson, Mayor W. W. Todd, Democrat, was defeated by B. J. Glasgow. In Bay City, Mayor Gustave S. Elms, Democrat, was re-elected and the city gave a large majority to a proposition to bond for \$20,000 for a water front park. In Detroit the only offices voted for were police justice and school inspectors. The vote on the proposition to accept \$750,000 from Andrew Carnegie for a library and to issue bonds to support the institution appears to be close.

STREET CAR JUMPS THE TRACK.

One Passenger Fatally and Four Others Seriously Injured.

Omaha, April 2.—A heavily loaded street car jumped the track near the corner of Twentieth and L streets, South Omaha, and dashed into a stone wall. Five passengers were seriously injured, one of whom, O. J. Serviss of South Omaha, will die. More than a score of others were hurt.

Fire at Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, April 2.—Fire which started in the top floor of the Railway Exchange building, a twelve-story office building situated at the southwest corner of Wisconsin and Broadway, completely gutted the two top floors of the building. The loss will be about \$30,000. Cause of fire unknown.

Mansfield Improves.

New York, April 2.—After a conference of physicians in attendance upon Richard Mansfield, Manager Stevens said they had reported Mr. Mansfield to be considerably improved. He is yet a very sick man, however, and full recovery will take several months.

Thought Fire Alarm a Joke.

Kent, O., April 2.—Because every one in the village regarded an alarm of fire turned in as only an April fool joke the Sperry House, a local hotel, was destroyed. No one responded to the alarm and the house was soon in ruins.

ARE YOU ILL?

with Rheumatism, Backache, Kidney Trouble, Catarrh or any other Flood Trouble? If so, and you could

FIND IMMEDIATE RELIEF IN

Matt J. Johnson's 6088

would you hesitate to take it? Of course you wouldn't, and I am so sure "6088" will cure any of the above named complaints that

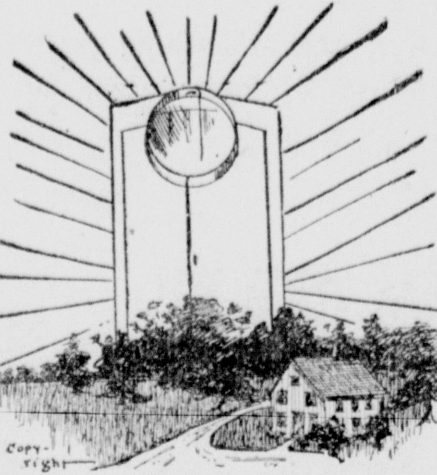
I MAKE AN ABSOLUTE GUARANTEE

to refund your money if you are not satisfied with the result after taking half of the first bottle.

M. K. SWARTZ, Druggist.

AS BRIGHT AS A SUNRISE

These words briefly describe the appearance of Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, when returned from



The Laurel St. Steam Laundry

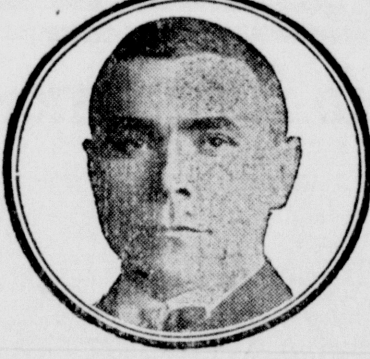
Clean pure water and high-grade soap is used in the cleansing of all goods. To this and the skillful manipulation of the iron is due the spotless condition and fine finish of our work.

I. EDSTROM, Prop.

He Had to Stay.

"You venture into Wall street occasionally?" said the lamb. "My case," answered the magnate, "is different from yours. I don't dare venture out of it for fear of what they would do in my absence."—Washington Star.

Harry Mitchell's EDITORIAL.



I want to make your Spring Suit. I want to demonstrate to you that for \$15.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00 I can make you a better suit than your local tailor would make you for \$30.00, \$35.00 and \$40.00.

I've got my Mail-order Department down so fine that no matter where you live I can fit you, and give as good satisfaction as if I took your order myself.

Write me today and tell me about the kind of a spring suit you have on your mind, and by return mail I'll send you samples of the swellest fabrics you ever saw.

Remember, I absolutely guarantee perfect fit and satisfaction or refund your money. You take absolutely no chances in the deal. I also pay all express charges, so your clothes cost you no more than if you got them right here in Minneapolis.

Yours truly,

HARRY MITCHELL,
310 Nicollet Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

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Notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and one-half cent for subsequent insertions, strictly cash in advance, unless advertiser has ledger account with the office, but no ad will be taken for less than 10 cents.

WANTED—A dining room girl at Hotel Earl. 2536

WANTED—A good girl at the Palace hotel. 2501

WANTED—A stripper or apprentice at C. H. Kylo's cigar factory. 2561

FOR RENT—Barber shop and one chair. Inquire at 109 Kindred St.

SAFE FOR SALE—A small 16x20 inch Herrington Hall combination safe. Louis Hohman, 618 Front street.

FOR SALE—We have several choice investments and bargains in business properties, also a number of fine lots and residence properties for sale that will pay you to investigate. Smith Bros., Sleeper Block.

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Continuous Performance
2:30 till 5 p. m. and 7:30 till 11 p. m.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Overture and incidental music
"Goodbye Little Girl Goodbye"
and
"Like the Rose You Are the Fairest Flower"

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Supplied by the best service in America.

"THE NEW TOBOGGAN"

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One of Thos. A. Edison's master pieces direct from New York City.

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Automatic Drama and Illustrated Songs . . .

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PERFORMANCES:

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Matinee on Wednesday and Saturday from 2:30 to 5:30.

"A MIDWINTER NIGHT'S DREAM"

"FLAGS AND FACES OF ALL RACES"

VOCAL SOLO

By Nina Buchanan Haight

"WHO'S WHO"

ILLUSTRATED SONG

"In The Valley of Kentucky"

"THE GREAT STEEPLE CHASE"

A Fine Entertainment.
DON'T MISS IT.

Admission 10c. Children 5c

The Dispatch prints all the news. Try the Daily Dispatch and you will take no other

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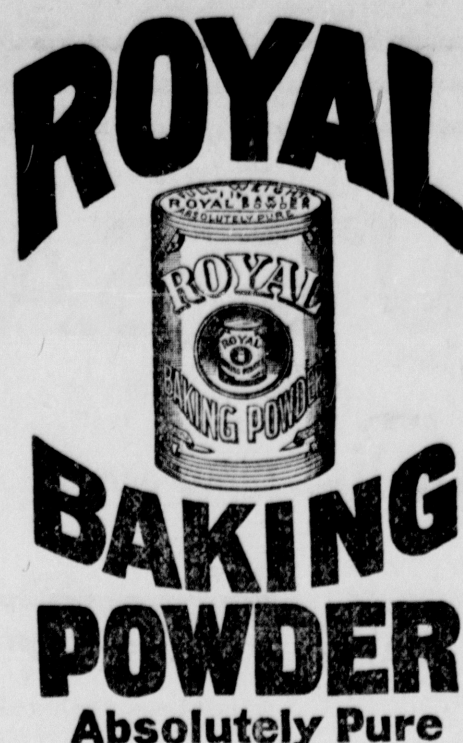
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FINE SAUSAGE

We have secured a fine sausage maker and are now prepared to put on sale sausages of all kinds, properly and cleanly made, and at the very lowest prices. Try our sausage and you will use no other. All kinds kept for sale.

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
A Cream of Tartar Powder
free from alum or phosphatic acid
Makes Home Baking Easy

PAID \$15,000 OF SEWER BONDS

City Treasurer Wright Paid Big Block of Bonds on Monday April 1st

PAID OUT OF SINKING FUND

There was \$69 Left in Fund—First Bonds Paid in City in Ten Years

Monday, April 1st, was a red letter day in the history of the city of Brainerd. \$15,000 of sewer bonds fell due upon that date and they were paid on the dot. This is said to be the first time bonds have been paid by the city of Brainerd in ten years. There was just \$69 left in the sinking fund. The paying off of the bonds means a reduction in interest charges of close to \$1,000 a year. With the present sinking fund levy, and with this amount annually added, making the burden no heavier than now it would soon be possible to still farther reduce the indebtedness of the city.

Pneumonia's Deadly Work
had so seriously affected my right lung," writes Mrs. Fannie Cannon, of Rural Route 1, Georgetown, Tenn., "that I coughed continuously night and day and the neighbors' prediction—consumption—seemed inevitable, until my husband brought home a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, which in my case proved to be the only real cough cure and restorer of weak, sore lungs." When all remedies utterly fail, you may still win in the battle against lung and throat troubles with New Discovery, the real cure. Guaranteed by H. P. Dunn & Co., druggists, Brainerd, Minn. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Wedding of Miss Moulton
The many friends of Miss T. Randolph Moulton, for many years a teacher in the public schools of this city, will be interested in the announcement of her wedding which occurred in Minneapolis on Wednesday, March 27th, at which time she became the bride of Franklin Eckhardt. Mr. and Mrs. Eckhardt will reside on their farm near LeSueur, where Mr. Eckhardt owns large landed interests. The friends of Mrs. Eckhardt in this city will extend their heartiest congratulations and wish her long life and happiness in her new home.

Store your stoves and household goods with D. M. Clark & Co. 235tf

LITTLE DOING

The Board of Education Held Regular Meeting Monday Night but Transacted Little Business

The Board of Education met in regular session Monday night but transacted little business. The resignation of Miss T. Randolph Moulton was received and accepted. Prof. Hartley and Prof. Hanft, addressed the board making quite extended reports of the St. Cloud Educational association. J. C. Congdon spoke at some length, advocating manual training and telling what he had seen in the schools of the twin cities during his recent trip. Prof. Hartley replied to Mr. Congdon's remarks, stating that in his opinion the pupils lost more than they gained by taking the time from their studies to apply to the manual training.

Thousands have pronounced Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea the greatest healing power on earth. When medical science fails, it succeeds. Makes you well and keeps you well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. H. P. Dunn & Co.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. Apply 310 North 7th St. 257fs

AMUSEMENTS

Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway
"Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway," to be presented in this city at an early date, is repeating this season its wonderful success of last year, playing to the utmost capacity of every theatre fortunate enough to secure this attraction. It is generally regarded as the most clever and best written play that has yet emanated from the prolific pen of Geo. M. Cohan, who is now responsible for six very successful comedies. The company to be seen here will be headed by that graceful and magnetic little actress Corinne.

Klaw & Erlanger, the managers of the tour promise a notable cast of players and one of the most elaborate productions ever sent on a tour.

"Buster Brown"
Buster Brown, his dog Tige, Mary and the Bobby Burns brigade were at the opera house last night. They were greeted by a good house and it is said that the ushers made a harvest of vest buttons this morning, because of the side splitting mirth engendered. The part of Tige was the star, the actor taking that part being irresistibly funny. Buster was also well portrayed as were most of the parts in the play. Should they come this way again they will certainly receive a full house.

FIRE CHIEF RE-ELECTED

P. M. Johnson Re-Elected Chief Fire Department—Also Made Building Inspector

DR. BEISE FOR HEALTH OFFICER

Report of the Audit of the City's Books Was Before the Council but not Considered

The re-election of P. M. Johnson, as chief of the fire department, and his election to the position of building inspector were among the important things done at the meeting of the city council Monday evening. The long expected report of the expert audit of the city's books was before the city council, several aldermen glancing over the two copies furnished, but there was no action taken regarding it and its contents were not even discussed.

When the president called the council to order in regular session Monday night the following aldermen responded to roll call: Zakariassen, Drexler, Farrar, Fogelstrom, Baker, Graham, Toohey and President Johnson.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Alderman Bouck came in. The city clerk reported \$110 in fines and \$8.10 for costs in civil cases collected and turned over to city treasurer during March.

The chief of police reported 13 arrests in state cases and three in city cases during the same months.

The report of P. M. Johnson, fire chief, was read and accepted.

The report of Jos. Weitzel, street commissioner, was read and accepted.

The electric light committee recommended that the minimum rate for electric lights be raised from 50 cents to 75 cents to cover the cost of maintaining meters.

Alderman Zakariassen reported from the finance committee that the sinking fund commissioners had paid \$15,000 of sewer bonds of the issue of 1887. The report was accepted and the action of the commissioners was approved.

Alderman Zakariassen also recommended that \$8,000 of electric light funds be turned over to the sinking fund. This occasioned a search for the ordinance covering the setting aside of such money.

The street and electric light committees had no report to make.

Alderman Toohey reported that the general sewer is blocked. The matter was reported to the sewer committee to investigate. He also called attention to mud holes and lack of proper drainage in East Brainerd. Referred to the street committee.

City Attorney Polk read the ordinance covering the setting aside of money for electric light sinking fund. The city treasurer was on motion instructed to turn over to the sinking fund commissioners out of the electric light funds the sum of \$9,000.

The council then took up the work of allowing bills and accounts against the city.

The pay roll of city police included \$17 for the killing of dogs. Alderman Bouck remarked that it was his understanding that the police department was to do the killing of dogs. Mayor Wise responded that with four policemen for 10,000 people they had enough to do. When bills for gun rent and cartridges and from several draymen for hauling away dogs were read, there were some remarks that it was not very cheap work.

Alderman Fogelstrom objected to the payment of \$1 for lease of land on which central hose stood, claiming that the land was a street. He was convinced by the other aldermen that the street had never been platted across the Northern Pacific right of way.

The bill for extra help for electric light department because of the repairs at the power house was allowed after some inquiry by the members.

The city pay rolls were allowed as follows:
Police.....\$ 312 00
City officers..... 275 83
Fire department..... 126 50
Firemen at fires..... 140 25
Electric light..... 473 90
Street work..... 223 50

There was a motion made and carried that the minimum rate for electric lights be hereafter 75 cents per month.

The resignation of Joe Weitzel, street commissioner, was received and accepted.

On motion of Alderman Farrar the street committee was empowered to employ a temporary foreman to take charge of the street work for the present.

The Brainerd Hook & Ladder Co. No. 1 reported its list of membership which was approved.

The matter of repairing and fixing up central hose house was left with the fire committee with power to act.

The liquor license application and bond of J. D. Armstrong was presented. Alderman Toohey wanted to know if the license contained any provisions as to selling to minors and Sunday closing

The city attorney replied that the bond did, and the license was granted.

The applications of P. M. Johnson and Andy Bennett for the offices of fire chief and building inspector were received, also those of James Buley and John Mutch as drivers of fire team. The application of Dr. Beise for the position of chairman of board of health was also received.

An informal ballot for fire chief showed Johnson 7, Bennett 2, Beise 1. The formal ballot resulted Johnson 8, Bennett 2. Thereupon P. M. Johnson was elected chief of the fire department. P. M. Johnson also was elected building inspector by the same vote.

Dr. R. A. Beise was elected chairman of the board of health.

A formal ballot was taken for the election of two drivers for the fire team. Jas. Buley and John Mutch received the unanimous vote and were declared elected.

The street committee was instructed to employ some competent person temporarily to do engineering work.

A communication from a majority of property owners on South Sixth street was presented and placed on file.

Mayor Wise asked that the ordinance ordering the killing of dogs be rescinded and in lieu thereof a dog pound be established and all dogs found unmuzzled be impounded and if not redeemed within a week be destroyed by chloroform. The matter was referred to the mayor and city attorney to have an ordinance drawn covering the matter. The meeting adjourned.

Doing Business Again.

"When my friends thought I was about to take leave of this world, on account of indigestion, nervousness and general debility," writes A. A. Christolm, Treadwell, N. Y., "and when it looked as if there was no hope left, I was persuaded to try Electric Bitters, and I rejoice to say that they are curing me. I am now doing business again as of old, and am still gaining daily." Best tonic medicine on earth. Guaranteed by H. P. Dunn & Co., druggists, Brainerd, Minn. 50c.

Stops itching instantly. Cures piles, eczema, salt rheum, tetter, itch, herpes, scabies—Doan's Ointment. At any drug store.

LID RESTS EASILY

Brainerd Saloon Men Close up According to the State Laws--All Responding to Request

The request of the county attorney and sheriff to close the saloons at 11 o'clock and keep them closed on Sunday, is being complied with by all Brainerd saloons. The Brainerd liquor men are being complimented on the stand they are taking in the matter, it not having been necessary to take any steps to force closing.

Bitter by a Spider.

Through blood poisoning caused by a spider bite, John Washington, of Bosqueville, Tex., would have lost his leg, which became a mass of running sores, had he not been persuaded to try Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes: "The first application relieved, and four boxes healed all the sores." Heals every sore. 25c. at H. P. Dunn & Co., druggists, Brainerd, Minn.

EASTER IS PAST

Next thing in order—housecleaning. This creates lots of hard work.

Why not let the painter and paper hanger do the cleaning for you? A little paint and paper makes a big change.

Our 1907 wall papers are beauties and for variety of color and design will please any taste.

We carry the newest things in our line, both imported and domestic papers and at prices to suit any purse.

We have white blank walls, embossed goods, silks, ingrains, crepes, duplex ingrains plain and figured, washable wall coverings, sanitary papers and a host of other good things to make home pleasant.

We also do painting, paper hanging, paper cleaning, tinting, hardwood finishing and all work pertaining to the trade.

You are invited to call and examine these papers before you buy. We carry the newest things out.

No trouble to show goods and satisfaction guaranteed.

These papers can be seen at 512 N. 7th St.—Tel. 50-J-5.

Thanking you for past favors and soliciting your further patronage, I am, yours truly,

J. H. NOBLE.

A Dame School In England, 1837.

On a perch forming a triangle with the corner of the room sat a cock and two hens. Under a stump bed immediately beneath was a dog kennel in the occupation of three black terriers, whose barking, added to the noise of the children and the cackling of the fowls on the approach of a stranger, was almost deafening. There was only one small window, at which sat the teacher, obstructing three-fourths of the light it was capable of admitting.—Parliamentary Report.

Notice of Meeting

Regular meeting of Trades & Labor assembly will be held in Theviot's hall Tuesday evening April 2, 1907. Important. All delegates are requested to be in attendance.

MARTIN FREEMAN, Rec. Sec'y.

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A. E. MOBERG
218 South Seventh Street.

NEW WOOL DRESS GOODS

52 inch beautiful all wool Empress suitings. Just the thing for suits, This sale for..... **\$1.25**

52 inch fine all wool Chiffon Panamas, in all the new shades. \$1.50 quality. Sale price..... **\$1.19**

40 inch fine wool plaid English check suitings; also wool battistes..... **50c**

36 inch fine plaid suitings in all the new spring shades only..... **25c**

More Good Black Taffeta Silks

We offer this week another piece warranted stamp 36 inch black Taffeta silks \$1.25 quality only..... **89c**

Remember our Special Lace Sale All this week Wonderful Bargains at 5 and 10c

STORE OPEN TONIGHT UNTIL 9:00

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Hardware, Stoves, Sporting Goods, Etc.

Get our estimates on work Before building

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TO KEEP WARM

Take a nip of the real stuff, liquor that is guaranteed to be

PURE

The place to get such goods is of the

JOHN COATES LIQUOR CO.,

Imperial Block, Brainerd, Minn.

GLOBE OPENING

Hotel and Saloon Opened to the Public by John Wise Last Night—There was a Good Patronage

John Wise opened the Globe hotel and bar last evening, and both enjoyed a good patronage. Mr. Wise has the saloon fixed up handsomely and the office, dining room, etc., in the hotel. There are a goodly number of rooms painted and papered and furnished, although this work is not yet completed. When done he will have a pleasant place and feels confident of filling it with guests as he has a very wide acquaintance and has had much experience in catering.

Hotel Earl

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...Open Day and Night...

Newly Re-Furnished Throughout—First-class in Every Way.

Lunch Counter in Connection.

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For a mild, easy action of the bowels, a single dose of Doan's Regulents is enough. Treatment cures habitual constipation. 25 cents a box. Ask your druggist for them.

HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Brainerd Fire Department Held Its Annual Meeting Monday Night and Elected Officers

The Brainerd Fire Department held its regular annual meeting and election of officers last night with the following result:

Second Asst. Chief—Ira C. White.
Secretary—Olof Ovig.
Treasurer—Henry Squires.
Hose Company No. 2 will hold its annual meeting at the central hose house tonight.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP

has been used by Millions of Mothers for their children who teething for over Fifty Years. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea.

25 CENTS A BOTTLE.

Granite, the Bedrock of the Earth. Granite is the bedrock of the world. It is the lowest rock in the earth's crust and shows no signs of animal life. It is from two to ten times as thick as all the other layers of rocks combined. No evidences of life of either animal or vegetable are apparent in granite. The presence of lime is due to animal life. Some scientists assert that all the lime in the world has at some time been a part of some animal. This includes human beings.

Up-to-Date Hardware Store News

Aluminum Tea Kettles

TEA KETTLES
COFFEE POTS
FRY PANS
STEW PANS
STEW KETTLES

Now on display in our window. Light in weight, bright as silver and absolutely pure and wholesome.

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A. L. HOFFMAN & CO.

CLOSING OUT SALE!

FIXTURES FOR SALE

Entire Stock in Hands of C. L. BOUTON Co., Minneapolis

Store for LEASE or RENT

3 coat granite ware—4 quart
stew kettle, 50c value. **22c**
Glass Tumblers, Hoffman's
price per set 25c, now. **12c**
60c Sets, Cups and Saucers,
per set. **38c**
White Lined Granite Coffee
Pots, 80c value. **48c**
Woven Wire Bed Springs,
\$1.25 and \$1.50 value, for. **58c**
3 gallon Coffee Pots, sold for
\$1.25, now. **62c**
Nails,
per cwt. **\$2.65**
Large Arm Boston
Rocker, \$2.75, now. **\$1.88**
Buck's White
Enamel Range. **\$34.44**

THE POPULARITY OF THIS SALE is growing every day. The public, knowing the reliability of A. L. Hoffman & Company, is advertising the fact they are giving wonderful concessions on the most dependable Hardware, Furniture and General Household Furnishings in the city.

Spears

The famous L. W. Burrel make. Everyone knows this spear, 4 tines, sells regular at \$1.15

64c

5 tines \$1.50, now 88c.

Linoleum

Blue and white check in laid — worth \$1.65—a square yard

\$1.17

Bronze Beds

Dull brass finish, full size. The most popular finish, very heavy, high posts. Regular price, \$14.00

\$9.87

Mixed Paints

Guaranteed 2 years. Regular price \$1.25 to \$1.60 per gallon, now

98c

Paints

Patton's Sun Proof Liquid Paints, The only paint guaranteed for 5 years. Regular price \$1.70 per gallon

\$1.42

Dining Chairs

Cane seat, high back dining room chair, \$1.70 value—only

98c

Iron Beds

Full size, double angle iron braced, \$2.75 value

\$1.97

Bed Springs

Spiral supported woven wire spring, pencil weave mesh

\$2.27

Kitchen Safe

Golden Oak finish, 4 shelves. Regular price, \$5.50

\$3.75

Side Board

Golden Oak, large beveled French plate glass, swell front, drawers solid brass trimmed. Former price \$16.00

\$10.13

Look for the Blue Penciled Prices--They show savings of 1-3, 1-2 and even more.

Sale in Hands of C. L. Bouton Company—STORE WILL BE OPEN TONIGHT—Minneapolis

SHORTER WORK DAY

CHIEF DEMAND OF EMPLOYEES IN
TRAIN SERVICE OF WEST-
ERN RAILS.

IS A MINOR CONSIDERATION

MEN WILLING TO ACCEPT WAGE
INCREASE OFFERED BY THE
MANAGERS.

Chicago, April 2.—The railway employees in the train service of the Western railroads have reduced their demands to a nine-hour work day and the government officials who came to Chicago last week to bring about a peaceable adjustment of the threatened strike are working hard to overcome that obstacle. Commissioners Knapp and Neill held an almost continuous session with the general managers and the representatives of the trainmen and conductors. The opposing interests met in adjoining rooms and the peace emissaries went back and forth between them, urging one side or the other to concede a point in the interests of peace.

The men signified their willingness to accept the wage increase offered by the railroads if the managers would grant the demand for the nine-hour work day. The labor delegates declared that the wage increase asked for was a minor consideration with them but that they could not face their constituents without securing improvements in the working conditions.

It was learned that the nine-hour demand of the locomotive firemen was what has prevented a settlement of that end of the labor difficulties. The Western roads are experiencing White acting separately entirely from the conductors, the firemen are standing out for the same demands and it is said in the event of a strike being ordered they, too, would walk out.

DEMAND MORE PAY.

Carpenters at Minneapolis Walk Out and Building Operations Suspend.

Minneapolis, April 2.—Following the example of the teamsters, painters and upholsterers, the carpenters have walked out and building operations all

over the city are shut down temporarily as a result, although there is no strike. The walkout followed a decision reached at the meeting of the master builders held Saturday night. Labor leaders say that for some time the carpenters have been asking for higher wages and the contractors have been equally positive in their statements that no higher wages would be granted.

After some discussion a compromise was offered, and in place of the 45 cents per hour that the carpenters asked for, the contractors offered them 42 1/2 cents per hour and agreed that if business warranted it by July 1, to raise their wages to 45 cents.

The carpenters decided that in case their demands were not complied with they would walk out, but many men had commenced work before they learned that the master builders had decided not to meet their demands, but wished to strike a compromise, and as soon as they heard of this the men laid down their tools and walked out. About 1,500 men went out.

RACE WAR THREATENED.

Whites and Blacks Arming for the Fray.

Fort Worth, Tex., April 2.—A telephone message has been received from Durant, I. T., saying that an appeal had reached there for all the deputy marshals at that point to go at once to Cale station to aid the white people, who were threatened with attack by a band of negroes who have been to Colvert and armed themselves for the avowed purpose of avenging the lynching of Jim Williams there Sunday night. The white folks at Cale say they have a force of seventy-five men ready to fight, but are without ammunition. The negroes are said to be well armed and number 300. Help will be sent at once. The marshals are now forming a posse.

Advices at Cale say the situation is desperate.

HONDURANS DEFEATED.

Nicaraguans Effect the Capture of Port Livingstone.

New Orleans, April 2.—The capture of Port Livingstone, Honduras, by Nicaraguans, was reported by passengers of the steamer Harry T. Inge, which has arrived here from Central American ports. Four Honduran soldiers were reported to have been killed. The defeated garrison numbered about 200.

The capture was made March 28 and on the following day the Hondurans, with about 100 reinforcements, made an unsuccessful attempt to recapture the port.

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—London Tit-Bits.

Piles

In order to prove to you that Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for any form of itching, bleeding, or protruding piles, the manufacturers guarantee a cure. You can use it and if not cured get your money back. Mr. Casper Walton, laborer, Michigan City, Ind., says: "I work hard and lift a great deal. The strain brought on an attack of piles. They itched and they protruded and bled. Nothing helped them until I used Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment. That cured them." 50c. a box at all dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, April 1.—Wheat—May, 78 1/2c; July, 79 3/4c@39c. On track—No. 1 hard, 81 1/4c@81 1/2c; No. 1 Northern, 80 1/4c@80 1/2c; No. 2 Northern, 78 1/2c@78 3/4c; No. 3 Northern, 75c@76c.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, April 1.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$5.50@6.25; fair to good, \$4.00@5.00; good to choice cows and heifers, \$3.50@4.75; veals, \$4.50@5.50; Hogs—\$6.40@6.55. Sheep—Wethers, \$5.50@6.00; good to prime lambs, \$6.50@7.50.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, April 1.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, 81 1/2c; No. 1 Northern, 80 3/4c; No. 2 Northern, 79 3/4c; May, 80 1/4c; July, 81 1/4c; Sept., 80c. Flax—To arrive and on track, \$1.18 1/4c; May, \$1.18 1/4c; July, \$1.20 1/4c; Oct., \$1.18c.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, April 1.—Wheat—May, 76 1/2c@76 3/4c; July, 78 1/4c@78 3/4c. Corn—May, 45 1/2c; July, 45 1/2c. Oats—May, 42 1/2c@42 3/4c; July, 37 1/4c@37 1/2c. Pork—May, \$16.40; July, \$16.45. Butter—Creameries, 22@29 1/2c; dairies, 20@27c. Eggs—14 1/2c. Turkeys, 12c; chickens, 13c; springs, 12 1/2c.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, April 1.—Cattle—Beefes, \$4.25@6.50; cows, \$1.80@5.00; heifers, \$2.75@5.40; calves, \$5.50@7.50; good to prime steers, \$5.50@6.35; poor to medium, \$4.30@5.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.85@5.00. Hogs—Light and mixed, \$6.45@6.75; heavy, \$6.35@6.65; rough, \$6.35@6.50; pigs, \$5.80@6.55; good to choice heavy, \$6.60@6.75. Sheep, \$4.25@6.50; lambs, \$6.00@8.10.

No Hessians Need Apply.

Aunt Sally Linnemann was looking admiringly at a collection of souvenir postal cards brought back from Europe by one of her summer boarders.

"Now, this one," said he, showing a handsome card, "is from Hesse, where those Hessian soldiers came from, you know."

Aunt Sally put down the cards and rose up in intense indignation. "Land sakes!" she exclaimed in horror. "Did you go there?"

No Secret.

"Well, well," exclaimed Miss Passay, "so she's twenty-five today. I guess it would surprise her if I should tell her it was the same age."

"Oh, no," replied Miss Knox; "she knows that, of course."

"She knows that I'm twenty-five?"

"No; that you were."—Philadelphia Press.

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